

The Daily Courant.

Thursday, March 4. 1788.

From the Amst. and Brass. Gaz. dated March 2.&c.

Naples, Feb. 7.

COUNT Taun our Viceroy has receiv'd Advice by an Express, of the Reduction of the Castle of Piombino and of that whole Principality, at the first Summons of a Detachment of 300 Imperialists of the Garrison of Orbitello. The Duke de Matalone has voluntarily furnish'd Cloth made at Cerrito, to the value of above 6000 Crowns, to cloath part of the Troops in this Kingdom. Don Gabriel Torres, Marquis of Motalba, is arriv'd here from Barcelona; having been gratified by his Catholick Majesty with the Government of Pescara in the Abruzzo, and a Brever of Colonel. The 25th of last Month, there was a great Earthquake in the Provinces of Basilicata and Calabria. The Cathedral of Cassano was all shak'n down, with a Convent of Nuns; as were also several Houses in the Lordship of Castelluccia. A Reinforcement of Troops are sent to Calabria, to disperse the Banditi that are got together and commit great Disorders there. The 4th Instant the Magistrates of this City attended the Viceroy, and desir'd him to give the necessary Orders for transporting Corn hither from Apulia, to prevent Scarcity and Dearness of Provisions; upon which, his Excellency has not only renew'd the Orders he had given before, but likewise taken effectual Methods for the Relief of the People.

From the Harl. and Ant. Cour. dated Mar. 3.&c.

Naples, Feb. 7. The President Millino, and several Officers, Spaniards, who had procur'd Passports of the Viceroy for their Servants, have made use of them themselves, and have suddenly withdrawn themselves from hence, in order to retire out of the Kingdom. The 4th Instant being Saturday, no Bread was to be had in the Market in the Evening: And this Morning there was hardly any Meal to be had there, which occasioning great Murmuring among the Populace, the Viceroy has judg'd it necessary, to prevent all Tumults, to order 800 Horse to patroll about the Streets Day and Night. In the mean time his Excellency has sent Directions to Apulia, for a Stop to be put to the transporting of Corn from thence to Catalonia, and for bringing it hither. The Earthquakes on the 25th and 29th of last Month, in Calabria and Basilicata, were very terrible; for at Cassano, Bisignano, Villare, Tricario, and several other Places, divers Churches, Monasteries and Houses were thrown down or much shatter'd, and many Persons were bury'd under the Ruines. 'Tis advis'd from Messina, that the Towns of Buttera, Alicata, Biscari, and Chiaramonte, in the Southern Part of Sicily, suffered great Damage by an Earthquake the 18th of January.

From the Amst. and Harl. Cour. dated Mar. 9 &c.

Naples, Feb. 14. A Genoese Ship that came from the Morea laden with Corn, being driven by stress of Weather into Gaeta, her Lading is purchas'd in order to be sold here, whither Corn is brought by Land from Apulia and other Provinces, and Tartans are fitting out to cruise in the Sea of Calabria against the Privateers of Sicily who interrupt our Commerce and Navigation. Some Days ago Deputies from the City-Council waited on the Viceroy, and represented to him, that the Sum of 80000 Ducats, a publick Fund assign'd for maintaining Plenty of Provisions in the City, being apply'd to other Uses, it was impossible for our Magistrates to procure such Supplies as are necessary to

keep the People quiet, unless the Government would furnish them with an Equivalent for that Fund. Toother Day the Dealers in Corn finding they could not bring out a sufficient Quantity to serve the Market, retir'd into Churches, to secure themselves from the grumbling Populace, who began to be turbulent, but were appeas'd by the coming in of some Corn from the Country, by Land-Carriage. On Sunday last no Bread being to be had for Money, a Tumult was rais'd at the Gate of St. Genaro; Judge Andrealli hasten'd thither with the Sbirri, and seiz'd some of the Rioters, but soon let them go again, to avoid the Violence with which he was threaten'd by the Mob. Yesterday the Nobility were assembled by Order of the Viceroy, to choose a Person to meet and compliment the Royal Bride of King Charles: Count Montauri, Son of the Prince Riccia, being elected, declin'd that Honour, whereupon the Duke of Guastalla, who is absent, was nominated; Advice of it will be sent him, and his Resolution expected.

From the Amsterdam Gazette March 9.

Rome, Feb. 18. The Pope being inform'd that notwithstanding his strict Prohibition of all Diversions during the Carnival, a Comedy and Ball had been perform'd at a Villa within the Bounds of this City, has banish'd the Chevalier Inquilino Master of the House out of the Ecclesiastical State, and put under Arrest several Persons that were at the Entertainment. The Marquis Macarani and the Son of the Duke of Lanti, who had invited several Noblemen and Ladies to it, are order'd to depart this City with their Wives; and among those who are confin'd to their own Houses, are the Constable Colonna, Prince Titus Giustintiani, and the 2 Sons of Prince Pamfilio: Others have withdrawn themselves and retir'd to their Country Seats. Some of the Comedians and Musicians are imprison'd. The Countess of Taun, who arriv'd here some Days ago, and lodg'd in the Palace of Cardinal Grimani, is gone to Naples to her Husband, after having view'd what is most remarkable in this City, and been visit'd and complimented by divers Persons of Quality that are well-affected to the House of Austria.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated March 2.

Venice, Feb. 18. We have receiv'd Advice from Tuscany, that the Imperial Collonel Wallis has block'd up Porto-Longone; and expect from Naples 300 Men, with 4 Mortars and 2000 Bombs, to enable him to attack it. The Imperialists having taken Possession of Piombino, 'tis beliv'd they will keep it, and that they will give to the Princes of that Name some Principality in the Kingdom of Naples in Exchange for it, instead of accepting the 24000 Ducats which she offer'd for maintaining the Garrison.

From the Paris Gazette, dated March 3.

Paris, March 3. They write from Nice the 12th of last Month, that the Night between the 10th and 11th the Marquis de Marilly march'd from Sospello with 600 Men, to endeavour to seize and carry off a Magazine of Salt and 40 Mules loaded with Cloth, between Broglio and Saorgio: But he being discover'd, the Mules escap'd: In the Magazine he found only some Meal, Money, and the Salt, of which the Soldiers took each a light Burthen, and threw the rest into the River. In his Return he found all the Country in Arms: but they could not possess themselves of the Passage, because he had had the Precaution to leave some Troops there. He drove them from the Hills on which they had posted themselves, with considerable Loss, having

do more than 4 of his own Men wounded. M. de St. Catherine who commanded the Grenadiers and Carabineers distinguished himself on this Occasion. There were about Genoa above 100 Mules loaded with Cloth for the Duke of Savoy's Troops, which durst not pass, because there are Parties abroad Day and Night in their Way.

Plymouth, Feb. 29. This Day sail'd Commodore Walker in her Majesty's Ship Exeter, with the Mary, Auguste, Canterbury, Monk Tartar, Ryegalle, Antelope, Salisbury, Warwick, and Dover to the Eastward.

Deal, March 3. Our Fleet from before Dunkirk are just now sail'd by the South-Sand-Head, turning into the Downes.

London, March 4.

Letters from Portsmouth say Sir John Leake was preparing to sail Tuesday in the Morning from Spithead to the Westward, with the Merchant-Ships for Virginia &c under his Convoy.

London, March 4.

The next Pacquet Boat which is to go to the West Indies, is now ready; therefore the Letters which are design'd to go by her must be sent to Plymouth by or before next Saturday night's Post, after which She is to take the first Wind which shall Present.

For the Benefit of Mr. Powell.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Thursday, being the 4th of March, will be presented a Play call'd, The Insatiable Emperor, or, The Conquest of Mexico by the Spaniards. The part of Montezuma by Mr. Betterton, Othmar by Mr. Mills, Gaymar by Mr. Booth, Othman by Mr. Hubbard, Cortez by Mr. Powell, Alonzo by Mrs. Barry, Alibech by Mrs. Rogers, Cydaria by Mrs. Bradshaw. And all the other parts to the best Advantage.

This Play is Sold by J. Knapp at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, and B. Lintot next Stando's Coffee-House, Temple-Bar.

Never perform'd but once.

AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, on Saturday next, being the 6th of March, will be presented a new Opera call'd, Love's Triumph. The Dances, Choruses, and other Entertainments being properly introduc'd as on Foreign Stages. Boxes 8s. Pit 5s. First Gallery 3s. Upper Gallery 1s. 6d. Stage Boxes half a Guinea. And by Order hence-forward to begin precisely at 6 a Clock. No Person to stand upon the Stage.

A young Person, a Graduate in the University, would live in a good Family to be Tutor to a young Gentleman. Enquire at the Printer of this Paper.

Lost the 1st Instant, on the Highway near Madams-court-Hill in Kent, a Silver Watch, made by Charles Gretton, the 2d Case Engraven with a Coat of Arms, (viz.) A Cheveron Brim between 3 Salvers, the Crest a Lyon Rampant on a Saltire, with 3 Seals, one a Triangle Steel Seal with the same Coat on one side, another a Circle with the Crest, and the other a Cypher. Also a Seal with an Onyx set in Gold with a Cupid and Venus Engraven on it with this Inscription, A vous Seul & a Jamais, another Steel Seal set in Gold with a figure of a Man Sacrificing to a Deionus Head. Also a Sword with a Blue and Gold Hilt, the Handle Silver gilt, the Chape Silver, a cutting Blade, it had a false Scabbard. These things were taken by 2 Men, one had a Horse with a White Neck. If offer'd to be Pawn'd, Sold or Valued, for them, and give notice to Mr. Rich. Briffow, Goldsmith, in Ludgate-street, and you shall have 3 Guineas Reward for the whole, or proportionable for any part.

Whereas 7 Pieces of Saggath's, 4 of which are very thick superfine ones, about 20 Yard apiece, and of a Sandy Colour, the other 3 are of a thinner Sort, and about 21 Yards and a half in a Piece, 2 of these 3 Pieces being of a Reddish Colour, and the 3d of a light Sandy Colour, and the Letter G. in the Forral of all the Pieces, were Stolen or carried away by mistake from Blossoms-Inn in Laurence Lane London. Some time since Wednesday the 25th of February last: If all or any of the Goods above are Sold or Pawn'd, and such Person or Persons have bought or lent Money on the same will bring such Goods to Mr. John Salisbury, Bookbinder, at Blossoms-Inn aforesaid, they shall have such Sum or Sums as they have paid or lent, and their Reasonable Charges.

Whereas it was maliciously insinuated in Yesterday's Courant, that Mr. John Crouch, Son of Mr. John Crouch, Musician, whose House is at the 3 Tunes in Prince's-Street, D. Street from Capt. Symes in the Honourable Col. Whitham's Regiment, and was invited to return, if not 5 Guineas Reward should be given for producing him. These are to give notice that the said John Crouch never was any Lost Soldier, never receiv'd any Pay, nor ever bore Arms in that or any other Regiment, but was bred a Sailor, having been at Sea for 6 Years, past in the Queen's Service, and 2 Years a Midshipman on Board the Centurion and Grafton, and is now Muster'd in the Service with Capt. James Littleton in the Royal Sovereign, and has a Ticket of Leave for his present Absence. He Lodges in Tansfield-Court in the Temple at Mr. Basil Knight's Chambers, and is ready to take any Trial at a Court Marshal, or appear before any Judge or Justice in his own Vindication.

This is to give Notice, That those who have any Rock Christal as large as will make Spectacles, or larger, may have ready Money of an Marshal Spectacle-maker in Ludgate-street, London, who is the only Person approv'd of by the Royal Society, and maketh Spectacles from a Great to 25 s. a Pair, and also Ordinary or Extraordinary Reading-Glasses, Telescopes, Microscopes, and all other Optick-Glasses, made and sold by John Marshall.

An Old well-accustom'd Coffee-house in the Old Parts, in a Creditable Place, to be let, with part of the Goods to be Sold, the Person that keeps it having got other Subjects. Enquire at the Printers of this Paper.

This Day, being the 4th of March, will continue to be Sold by Auction, at Exeter Exchange in the Strand, the remainder of a Collection of Books of a Merchant deceased, and also the Library of another Person, among which are great Variety of excellent Books in most Faculties, many of them Illustrated with Sculptures and nearly Bound, some of them in Turkey Leather, gilt and letter'd on the back, and in the large Paper. As also a Collection of Paintings, Prints, and Drawings, by the most Eminent Masters. Catalogues may be had at the Place of Sale, where the Books, Paintings, Prints and Drawings may be view'd.

FOR SALE BY THE CANDLE.

To Morrow, the 5th Instant, at 10 of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Joe's Coffee-house in Swinings Alley behind the Royal Exchange, a Parcel of fine Coffee, Tea and other Goods, which may be seen and Allotments deliver'd to the Time of Sale. Sold by Stephen M. Hieu Broker on College-hill, London.

On Thursday the 11th Instant, a Dr. Haaksbee's in Wine-Office-Court Fleet-street, will begin a Course of Experiments in order to prove the Weight and Spring of the Air, and to show the Effects of its Absence on the Lives of Animals, Sound, Flum, &c. With the new Experiments of Light, and Attraction of Bodies: Together with the usual Hydrostatical Experiments Demonstrating the Pressure or Gravitation of Fluids in general. And will be continu'd there every Monday and Thursday following till finish'd, by J. Hodgson and F. Haaksbee. Printed Accounts of the same made at large are given at the Place aforesaid, where Subscriptions are taken in.

Proposals for Engraving and Printing in Folio, A Treatise of the Five Orders of Columns in Architecture, viz. Tuscan, Doric, Ionic, Corinthian and Composite. Wherein the proportions and Characters of Members of their several Pedestals, Columns and Entablatures are distinctly consider'd, with Reference to the Practice of the Antients and Moderns. Also a most Natural, Easy and Practicable Method laid down, for determining the most minute Part in all the Order, without a Fraction. To which is annex'd a Discourse concerning Pillasters, and of several Abuses in Architecture. Written in French by CLAUDE PERRAULT, of the Royal Academy of Paris, Author of the Celebrated Comment on Vitruve. Made English by John James, of Greenwich, at 12 s. 6d. in Sheets, 2 s. 6d. in Hand, the Remainder on Delivery, which will be the 10th Instant. Those that have Subscrib'd, and not given in their Name s, are desired to send them by the 10th Instant, or they cannot be Engraved, till which Time Subscriptions will be taken, and no longer, by John Sturt, Engraver thereof, in Golden-Lyon-Court, in Aldersgate-street.

The only f-m'd and first Venetian Strops publish'd in England, (nearly fix'd on 8 Wards) which for polishing and setting Razors, Penknives, Lancets, &c. are not to be parallel'd, being much more durable and smooth, never growing Rough by using, but setting Razors, &c. with greater Fineness and Exactness than any Counterfeits possibly can. Price 1 s. each. Also, The most excellent Venetian Metal-Boards, of the same Bigness, for sharpening all sorts of Knives, immediately and without trouble to Admiration, tho' the Edge be never so thick or knotch'd. Price 1 s. each, with Directions for both. Are Sold only at Mr. Allen's, a Toy-shop, at the Blue-Coat-Roy, against the Royal-Exchange in Cornhill; Mr. Brook's, a Stationer, at the Ship near the May-Pole in the Strand; and at Mr. Cooper's, a Toy-shop, the Corner of Charles-Court, near York-Buildings in the Strand.

The first Angelick Tincture for Coughs, which began to be expos'd to Sale October 10. 1704. and for more than one whole Year escap'd unprejudic'd by Counterfeits. It is a great and unparallel'd Medicine, having reliev'd many out of great danger, doing the Cure on the Spot, which a Thousand other things fail; when it is taken into the Mouth the Cough doth instantly Cease, and after 2 Days return no more, the Truth whereof is sufficiently evinc'd by Examples of Cures in former Advertisement. N. B. This excellent Secret (now vastly improv'd) is no where to be had save at John's Coffee-house in Swinings Alley by the Royal Exchange, and at the 7 Stars under St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street, where the Author may be known and spok'd with at any time, that the Buyers may receive entire Satisfaction. Price 1 s. the Bottle.

Dr. Anderson's, or the famous Scots Pills, are by her Majesty's Authority faithfully prepar'd only by Mrs. English from Edinburgh, now living at the Golden Unicorn over-against the May-Pole in the Strand, London, and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland as well as in and about London, you are desired to take notice, that the true Pills have their Boxes seal'd on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lion Rampant, and 3 Millers Agent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt L. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella English underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of Excellent use to be taken with Epom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters. Beware of Counterfeits especially an Ignorant pretender one Muffin, who keeps a China Shop within 2 Doors of me, and sells a notorious Counterfeit instead of the true Pills. I Inglist.

Dr. Harbrough's Pills, which perfectly cure all the Degrees and Indispositions in Venereal Persons by a most easy, safe, and expeditious Method; they also prevent the Disease if taken soon after the Danger fear'd: They Cure the Scurvey and Rheumatism, sweeten the Blood, and cleanse the Stomach and Bowels of all Impurities. They are dispos'd of at a Coffee-house over-against the Doctor's late Dwelling-house in great Knight-Rider-Street, near Doctor's Commons Back-gate, with Directions for their Use.

This Day is Publish'd,

Censura Temporum. The Good or Ill Tendencies of Books, Sermons Pamphlets, &c. impartially consider'd, in a Dialogue between Eubelus and Sophronius. Numb 2. Printed for Henry Clements at the Half Moon in St. Paul's Church-yard.

Ode, Honoratissimo Viro Henrico St. John Armigro. By the Author of Cyder, A Poem. Immenis J. Rowyer; ad Infigne Rose in Ludgate-street, juxta Curiam D. Pauli.

Just publish'd,

A Sermon at the Consecration of the Right Reverend Father in God Wm Lord Bishop of Chester, Preach'd in K. Henry the 7th's Chappel in Westminster, on Sunday Feb. 8. 1707. By Wm Milner, M. A. Chaplain to his Lordship. Publish'd at the desire of the Archbishop and Bishops. Printed for Tho. Speed at the 3 Crowns over against Jonathan's Coffee-house in Exchange Alley, Cornhill; at which Place all the Lord Bishop of Chester's Book are Sold, as also Mr. Milner's Book Entitled, Scripture Religion. Pr. 1 s.